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Seats will be on sale at the Santa Fe Ticket office Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To the Editor of the Eagle:  
Please announce G. W. Stearns as a candidate for Representative of the 3rd District, subject to the decision of the people at the polls.

Mr. Lon Judson and wife, of Kingman, were in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. Matthews has returned home, and is ready for business again.

The ladies of the First M. E. church will be pleased to see you at their social tonight.

C. L. Davidson returned home yesterday from New England. Charley got in on a freight.

An elegant new advertisement for the St. Louis, Fort Scott and Wichita railroad was being circulated yesterday.

The Sunflower's new Kansas City train goes by the name of Ossawatimie—a pointer for the "addition crank."

The public's very kindly request not to forget the ice cream social to be held at the First M. E. church tonight.

Be sure and get your seats in time for the Schubert Quartette. Tickets on sale at Santa Fe ticket office tomorrow morning.

The "fats" say that they want it particularly understood that they don't claim that they can beat both the "leams" and the umpire.

Mrs. M. M. Murdock and the eaglets are off visiting friends and relations at Emporia and Burlington, and will be absent a couple of weeks.

Dr. Van Patten, of Sterling, Kansas, called on the EAGLE yesterday. The Dr. is en route east, coming to Wichita to get transportation.

Hon. John Kelly went north last evening to Topeka to attend a meeting of the State Republican Central committee, of which he is a member at large for the state.

Steady employment will be given to the right kind of a boy to learn to be a pressman. None need apply unless they are willing to contract for not less than one year.

Strangers can spend a pleasant hour to night at the social in the First M. E. church, getting acquainted with our people, and feasting on the best ice cream the city can afford.

At the Emporia Avenue M. E. church yesterday, there was a large congregation, and the services were of the most interesting character. Five accession were made to the church.

Hon. Woolman Est., one of Kansas City's brilliant attorneys, is spending two or three days in the city on business. Every visitor but adds to his growing estimation of this city and its future.

Two plain drunks, John Ryan and David Waterson, and one of vagrancy, Chas. Gunning, completed the list at the police court yesterday. The first and second were fined \$5 each, and the third \$10.

They are all happy up at councilman Richey's home. It is a girl, an eleven pound girl, in weight, in style of beauty and in every way worthy its parentage. We wish the new little miss a comely face and a long and happy life.

J. A. Friend and wife, with Miss Molly Hill, of Englewood, Clark county, are at the Goodyear house. J. A. is one of the Wichita boys who has made a strike in Kansas lands. He is also a brother of Howard Friend, a leading real estate dealer of this city.

Mr. R. P. Murdock, our business manager, goes to Chicago this morning to meet his wife and boy who are coming home, they having gone east some weeks ago on account of his child's health, whom he hears, has greatly improved.

Superintendent Harding and General Freight Agent Smith, of the Sunflower route, came in from Kansas City yesterday morning. Superintendent Harding goes to McPherson today. The El Dorado branch has reached a point nearly half way between Newton and McPherson we believe.

Harry Hill returned yesterday from a trip to western Kansas. He said he found the country in an excellent condition, and the town of Dighton busy and thriving. The two railroads, Santa Fe and Missouri Pacific, are rapidly pushing their way westward and by November 1st will within twelve miles of the town.

At the meeting of young men at the Tremont hotel to organize a gymnasium, the following officers were appointed: Block, president; Summerfield, vice-president; Moore, secretary; Lewison, treasurer; Walker, business manager. The next meeting will be held at the Occidental parlors Wednesday evening.

## BILLIARDS.

The game last evening was between Morley and Hartzell. Morley playing Hartzell 30 per cent discount. The score stood 279 for Morley, 240 for Hartzell.

## FOR OUR FAIR.

Williams & Mosley offer a special premium of two hundred pounds of flour, 100 C. brand, Utah mills, (valued at \$6) from the best lot of bread made from that brand of flour.

## BASE BALL.

Another exciting game of base ball will be played on the West Wichita fair grounds this afternoon at 3 o'clock between the Clippers, of Wichita, and the Athletics, of Andover. The stakes will be \$50 aside.

## LAWN FETE.

The young people of the Baptist church will hold a lawn fete this evening, at the residence of Mr. E. J. Foster, 628 N. Lawrence are. Short musical program, ice cream and cake, and a social time, will be the order of the evening. Proceeds will be devoted to the new Baptist church. All are invited to come and bring friends.

## FIRE! FIRE!

Yesterday afternoon the house of Mrs. Hodges, No. 609 North Main, took fire from a gasoline stove and burned, leaving only part of the outer walls standing. Mr. Walden, the fire marshal, was playing in the ball game on the West side when the alarm was given, yet he was on the grounds and with the volunteer fire department succeeded in putting the blaze out sooner than it was ever done before.

## AN INTERESTING GAME.

Sunday afternoon Sig T. Bond, a United States prisoner confined in the county jail for horse stealing, was engaged with a joint named Will Horrick at a little game of cards in one of the cells. The game was evidently not a very satisfactory one, for in a short time after its commencement it required several of the attendants to separate the players who were rolling around the floor, and yesterday when Bond appeared in court he had part of his face ornamented with a plaster and the remainder with clotted blood.

## FIGHT IT OVER.

To the Editor of the Eagle:

The game of base ball yesterday was supposed to be between the fat and the lean of the city. Such was not the case, as the facts make no pretensions at the game, on the contrary a lot of experts. Now, we will say that the fate will play another game of four innings against the following named gentlemen: J. L. Dyer, George Litzberger, F. R. Stone, R. Boys, Scott Corbett, W. E. Stanley, H. C. Slus, Samuel Houck and J. S. Stinson, the game to be played at the same place, and proceeds to go to the Benevolent Home. Now, gentlemen leams, what do you say? (Game to be played one week from today.) W. F. GREEN.

## ALL WICHITA INVITED.

Two Great Days at Kansas City With Free Tickets.

Appreciating the fact that Wichita is the greatest city in Kansas, and that the presence of her citizens at the great exposition would prove mutually advantageous, the president, superintendent, secretary and board of managers of the Inter-State Exposition authorize the EAGLE to extend a general invitation to the citizens of Wichita to be present any day this week. Any one holding a round trip ticket from Wichita, by presenting the same at the secretary's office will receive a free ticket to the grand stand, a free ticket to the quarter stretch and a hearty welcome all around. Physically the great troiter is there. Over one hundred racers and trotters are there. Wednesday and Thursday will be the great days. Secretary Webster and his assistants, the president and vice president and the directors are all anxious to welcome a delegation of the five men of Wichita, including the mayor and council. The show is a big one and those who go up will have a big time.

## I'M YOUR HUCKLEBERRY.

Joan Fisher, P. C. Garland Post, No. 2.

DEAR JOHN—As it was in the days of '61-5 so it seems to be now. Officers to the rear, privates to the front. As the colonels and the captains have under some frivolous excuses declined to act as "your" committee to replenish the treasury of the post, I am with you, and as Cap. Myers is on it, I think he and I can so arrange as to have an old fashioned time. Of course, I am not up to the very latest movements in the dance, but you can always rely upon me as doing my level best.

I never stand on ceremony, and I have even been accused of not having dignity enough. But I want to announce now that I have made arrangements with comrades Barrett and Heiserman, and immediately after the grand march we will introduce an original triple clog, which for poetry of motion has never been excelled. Now, dear John, I am with you; mark that, and I am no stough ten bottle either. Fraternally yours,

J. D. CALDWELL,

One of the Committee.

P. S.—I will be on hand tonight.

## A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Yesterday in the midst of the excitement attendant upon the fire on North Main, an accident happened that may result fatally to perhaps two women.

John Dewing, a farmer, living eight miles north of the city in Kechi township drove to the city in a spring wagon to which was hitched two mules. On the front seat with him was seated his 3-year old child, on the rear seat Mrs. Dewing and her sister, Mrs. Freeland, both with babies in their arms. They stopped in front of Morris' grocery and Mrs. Freeland was giving orders for goods when the fire alarm was sounded and horse cart came rushing up the street. The mules became frightened and turned the wagon quickly around, throwing the hind seat and its occupants backward upon the ground.

Policeman Clark grabbed the team and valiantly held on until the driver regained control of them. Fire marshal Walden was struck in the struggle and knocked down; but as Clark had not held the team they would certainly have run into the dense crowd and injured many. Mr. Dewing all this time interested in the team, did not know that the seat had fallen out, glancing back now, however, he saw it gone and the two women lying in the street. Mrs. Freeland was immediately carried to the Ladies' Benevolent Home and afterwards Mrs. Dewing was assisted to the same place. Dr. Stover was called and it was found that while both were badly injured and out by the fall, yet Mrs. Dewing was hurt much the worse. It is feared, too, that her external injuries are the least severe.

The two injured women are daughters of Mrs. Beach living at the corner of Market and Oak.

## COUNCIL ON DECK.

The City Council Strike a Snag in Trying to Sail Over the Report of the Finance Committee.

His Honor Resigns His Office, but is Told by the Council to Keep His Seat—The Fire Department.

City council met last night in the city hall with Healy, Carey, Richey, Brown, Harris, Kenyon, Allen and Chivington present, and his honor, the mayor, in the chair. There was a number of spectators present as a result of the meeting being looked upon with interest on account of some important questions that it was generally supposed would be discussed if not finally decided upon.

When the clerk finished reading the minutes of the last special meeting, Councilman Healy took some exceptions to the way he was represented in connection with the Santa Fe depot matter. After some discussion the affair was amicably adjusted.

The report of the finance committee was not expected to raise any unusual breeze, but it was sufficient in some particulars to start a discussion that served as the main feature of the evening. The committee comprised Allen, Healy and Kenyon. Their report on salaries for city officials is as follows:

	Per annum.
Mayor	\$ 600
Councilman, each	1,000
City clerk	1,000
City attorney	600
Police judge	900
City marshal	1,000
Policemen, each	720
Treasurer	600
City engineer	800

When the report was read Healy moved that the report be adopted, and in a minute received Kenyon as a second.

Richey amended the above motion by allowing the mayor and councilmen to draw the proposed salary after the middle of next coming April. His amendment was accepted by Healy and his second.

The mayor then stated that in his opinion this council could not decide upon the wages of the next.

Harris—"I don't think one dollar a year is enough to go to Europe on. Ten years ago councilmen received \$50 and I think today that their services are certainly worth something."

Healy—"None of us expected any more when we were elected."

Carey—"I agree with Mr. Healy. It does not seem to me that we should ask any more than the people expected to give when they elected us. If we cannot stand it as it is let us resign our places. If you vote \$50 to me I will not accept a dollar of it. I think the salaries of our policemen should be raised."

Mr. Richey then called upon the city attorney for his opinion about the power of the council to fix salaries for the next council and mayor, who stated that it would not be illegal to take effect at that appointed time.

His honor, the mayor, then said that when he was elected he thought he would have no salary. Since the city has been made one of the first class the work has increased and he would expect one.

Councilman Harris amended the motion allowing the mayor and councilmen to draw the amount recommended by the committee which brought Stone as a second man.

The amendment was submitted to a vote which showed four in the affirmative and five in the negative. The original motion was voted upon with a fatal result, showing three for and six against.

This seemed to put a quietus upon the affair for a few minutes, and the long interesting scene was thought by the members of the council sufficient cause to take a breath and a little rest, but all this time the mayor was busily engaged writing. Finally the council was called to a business attitude by the clerk, who read the following: "I respectfully tender my resignation as mayor of the city," which was signed by B. W. Aldrich.

This served the part of an enthusiastic opener to many around the table as well as to the spectators. Everybody was painfully silent and each one looking at all the rest with an expression of surprise depicted upon their countenances. No one for a few minutes was able to open his mouth, but finally Mr. Harris stated that he was not in favor of accepting the resignation. He was of the opinion that the council had treated him unfairly and unjust, and that in some way the matter should be decided differently. He closed his remarks by moving that the tendered resignation be not accepted, which was seconded by Mr. Stone.

Mr. Allen, president of the council, put the motion to a vote, which was carried.

Richey then stated that it was the duty of the council to make laws and the work of the mayor to enforce them. He did not think his honor had any more to do than the chairman of some of the important committees.

Mr. Campbell asked the consent of the council to speak, which was granted, and he said he did not want to speak of the salary of the mayor. He said: "There is a matter in which I have a say in and that is concerning the salary of the city attorney. When I first held this position I was given \$600 per year, and I am sure I earned every dollar of it. Before long it was raised to \$75 per month. My duties are increased as the city grows. I do this work at the exclusion of every thing else. If I was worth \$50 per month, I am worth \$100 now. My work is not to be present at the council meetings alone but the most of it is out of these meetings. I don't believe there is a first-class attorney in the city that will defend one case I have for less than my year's salary. My resignation is ready at any hour if you don't want my services."

Carey—"Have changed my mind. I don't think it is right to defer paying the city attorney until next April."

Healy—"There was a good deal of kicking when we raised the city attorney's salary from \$50 to \$75 per month. Think that \$50 is enough. A good lawyer told me it was enough, and that he could furnish a good attorney for that."

Richey—"Don't think there is a lawyer in the city who knows what the city attorney has to do. The business has greatly increased from what it ever was before."

By this time some of the members of the council were making anxious inquiry about what was before the body and what was the order of business. For some time there had been statements of grievances accompanied by comments on the same, and a part of the of the council was of the opinion that the ship had lost her bearings, and was out upon a rough, rule sea, soon to be the victim of the merciless waves. The alarm was spreading with a wonderful rapidity when Mr. Healy lead out with a motion to reconsider the whole matter and he had not taken his seat until Brown availed himself of the chance to second a motion.

Richey at this juncture put in another one

of his amendments which referred the whole affair back to the committee from whence it came. The amendment was submitted and was victorious.

Mr. Allen said that the ordinance granting a certain amount monthly to the Benevolent Home would expire next month at which time the clerk would present a new ordinance made. Healy's motion striking the city attorney to draw up an ordinance granting that institution the regular amount for an indefinite time, prevailed.

Mr. Kenyon suggested that it would be a good idea to make an arrangement by which a good deal could be procured from the island immediately north of the Douglas avenue bridge, for grading streets, etc. It was suggested that the island belonged to a private party and was not under the control of the city. The question was disposed of by instructing the city attorney to investigate the subject and see if the island was owned by any one.

Garst Bros. were granted the privilege to build a stairway on the east side of their new building, which is immediately east of the Grand Army building.

Mr. Healy, as chairman of the gas committee, stated that the gasoline lamps were no good and when the electric lights were all put in operation they could all be removed to the rural districts. He stated that the people on South Lawrence avenue were anxious to get three more electric lights and they will pay for one if the city would add two. The Schuyler company had promised to furnish the light at the usual price to the city.

Mr. Richey stated that lights were also needed at the following places: corner of Third street and Fifth avenue, corner Third and Wichita streets, and corner Third and River streets. After a lengthy discussion the new lights were ordered.

When the railroad committee was called to report Mr. Healy made a statement of his knowledge concerning the Santa Fe depot question.

Mr. Carey stated that that question was before the council at its special meeting, and had been referred to the city attorney, and was desirous that he should tell the council the progress he had made.

Mr. Campbell said he had written Mr. Smith a letter last Friday, stating the question as it was, but had not as yet received a reply. He read the letter sent Mr. Smith, which, upon motion, was placed upon file. The matter was then dismissed, as it was desirous to see what Mr. Smith would have to say on paper.

The fire committee, represented by Mr. Harris, submitted a report made by Mr. Walden, fire marshal, embracing all the material now belonging to the fire department. The marshal also submitted another report which specified a number of improvements that should be made in the department. He recommended a one two-horse hose carriage, one one-horse cart; 1,000 feet of hose, one fire-bell weighing 1,000 at least and the present one removed to the Fifth ward; an electric service between stations and an addition of the number of men employed in the department. This was productive of a good deal of talk about the troublesome question of a fire department. Some were inclined to think that the present service was good enough, and got to the fire in fine shape, while others could see a city burn down before the hose carts could even get out of the way.

Mr. Walden was called upon for his views of the question, who said, "I make out of this list of material with a view to economy. This will cost little more than the present arrangement and will be a great deal better. The main object is to get to a fire quick. At times our boys can't get a team to haul them to a fire. Then the trouble of getting in an alarm takes more time than is desired."

The motion made to adopt the report was carried, and his honor, Mr. Walden and the fire committee appointed a committee with power to act in getting the new apparatus suggested by the fire marshal.

An election was ordered to vote \$30,000 bonds to the Wichita, Cedarvale & Southwest railroad. The election will be held on the second of next November.

## IN THE U. S. COURT.

At the assembling of court yesterday morning at 10:30, the room was crowded with spectators and witnesses. Shortly after Judge Foster had taken his seat the grand jury came in and made a partial report of the indictments found; they were then excused.

The first case called was the United States vs. Silas Davis and James Blankinship, two boys about 16 years of age, charged with burglarizing a store in the territory. Davis pleaded guilty and was afterwards sentenced to the Kansas penitentiary for one year and fined \$10; Blankinship pleaded not guilty, and had Mr. McMeekin assigned him as his attorney.

When this case had been disposed of three colored prisoners in irons were marched in by the deputies. The first of these called was Barney Cooper, a short, heavy built, ugly visaged negro, dressed in the blue uniform of a private soldier. The charge against him was then read by Clerk Wilson; they were in two counts. First, assaulting, ravishing and murdering a Cheyenne woman named Metonya, and second, rape, to both of which he pleaded not guilty.

The other two were Jacob and Joseph Tabler, brothers, about 18 and 20 years of age, arraigned on a joint and on several indictments, charging them with shooting and killing Frank Cass and Jacob Goodcount. Both entered the plea of not guilty; and, in the absence of their attorney, Judge Campbell was appointed to defend them.

The judge then ordered made out a list of the criminal indictments together with a list of the jurors. The names of the petit jury then read were as follows:

J. A. Brown, Carl Partish, John Barlow, C. D. Broder, T. Wisner, J. S. Courtwright, Thos. Hunter, Thos. Finer, John Bell, W. Brasher, E. M. Cloud, Henry Nolan, Robt. Newell, W. B. Best, Thos. L. Norris, Jas. Reynolds, Levi Green, J. B. Linberger, George Leban, E. H. Brown, Thos. Hancock, R. A. Neff, W. M. Fox, A. T. Fox. Henry Nolan was asked to be dismissed but his request was not granted.

J. R. Linberger, on account of sickness, was excused.

Crunk, Wade, Morris and Johnson were then lead into the court room.

Joe Wade, when his name was called, arose and the charge against him was read, which was about the same as against "Doc" Crunk, that of horse stealing.

George Morris, a thin, pale, nervous man with chin whiskers and hair, sprinkled slightly with gray, stood up and listened as the clerk hurriedly read the indictment against him, charging him with having shot and killed with a pistol one J. W. Lake, living

in the Territory, after which he entered the plea of not guilty.

William A. Johnson, a well-built young man of about twenty, with an unconcerned air, small blue eyes, and rough, unkempt hair, was told to stand up. The grand jury had found against him an indictment for killing Jacob Gilbert. He pleaded not guilty.

The judge inquired if Wade and Crunk were ready for trial, they thought they were; but having no attorney his honor asked if they wanted one. Crunk said it seemed to be fashionable, he guessed he would.

Mr. McMeekin was assigned to him.

The case of the United States vs. Walton was called. Judge Campbell asked that on account of the death of the defendant's brother, the case be continued until he could hear from him; continuance granted.

The state's attorney then entered a nolle prosequi in the cattle cases, as all the stock had been lost and he could not successfully make out his case under the present circumstances.

The afternoon session was called at 2:15 and John Trussler immediately arraigned. Trussler was a confederate of Crunk and Wade, and had distinguished himself by endeavoring to escape on his way to jail. He pleaded not guilty. The prisoner who was chained and bloody faced, the result of a recent fight in the jail. To the charge of stealing two horses he pleaded not guilty.

Ed Ross to the charge of assault with deadly weapons; and W. H. Manning to the charge of introducing liquor into the territory did likewise.

Albert Bross charged with stealing cattle acknowledged his guilt. Robt. King, a boy who gave his age as but thirteen, stepped out from among the other prisoners to where he could be seen and pleaded not guilty to larceny of jewelry.

Albert Bross having pleaded guilty, was asked if he had any reason why sentence should not be passed upon him. He gave none and so was sentenced to the Kansas penitentiary for one year and fined \$25.

Mr. Hutton was assigned as attorney for Robert King and while he was investigating the case of the young criminal, the bunch of prisoners were marched back to the jail.

A consultation between Judge Foster and Mr. Hutton was then held, and it was thought best on account of his youth to commit him to the Leavenworth county jail for six and a half months. None of the other prisoners being ready for trial, no further business was transacted, and the court adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

## THE GREAT GAME.

The Fats Kick and the Leams do Likewise: While the Crowd Yells itself Hoarse.

Yesterday morning the street cars bore evidences of a great baseball game that was to take place in the afternoon at the West Wichita fair grounds. The comic pictures in the show window of Mr. J. P. Allen's drug store exhibiting the situation at different stages of the game were always drawing out broad smiles and comic remarks from a delighted crowd. The very air seemed to indicate that "something powerful funny" was going to happen. The phenomena were not deceiving in the least. The opinion of some pessimists who declared that the fats and leams would never step into the field with the intention of wiping the ground up with each other proved false, and about 1 o'clock carriages and vehicles and even John Fisher's cart drawn by his pony were seen going in the direction of the battle field. They passed hundreds of pedestrians going the same direction just as hard but not so fast, and just as anxious to see the fun and yell with a vengeance.

At 2:15 the game was called. The white sack, soon to be made otherwise, however, distinguished the fats, and the red sack was one of the distinguishing features of the leams.

The following are the players: Fats—Frank Dale, M. Myers, J. P. Allen, W. P. Carey, D. M. Dale, W. F. Green, B. W. Aldrich, Geo. Harris and A. Walden. Leams—L. F. Sicker, C. Clark, Frank Oliver, Frank Hazen, C. F. Corbett, R. Dobson, Mark Oliver, E. B. Stanley and R. B. Lawrence.

Rev. J. D. Hewitt served as umpire.

An immense crowd was present. The carriages and people would encroach upon the territory belonging to the diamond, and the patience of the players and the dutiful umpire were sometimes taxed to its utmost while waiting and beseeching the eager to stand back and get out of the way. At times operations were suspended and the cry to give the boys a chance was the absorbing issue.

Luck took off its hat to the leams in the toss and they knocked the first point off the bat. They went to bat with a kick that the fats were acting unfair by running in professionals, and the jumbos were kicking, slow but hard all the same, about playing the Chicago team rather than the Wichita leams.

The battery for the fats was Myers catcher and Frank Dale pitcher. Sicker led out with a sky scraper and won first base with ease, much to the discomfiture of Dave Dale whose face got red over the question, having jumped at least two inches high after the ball when it passed at least ten feet above him and out the grass for some rods in the wrong direction for Dave after its return to the ground. This sort of thing was kept up until the leams made three before they were compelled to lay down the bat.

The fats grabbed the bat with the requisite amount of confidence. Frank Dale opened up with a good strike and won first base and in due time was shaking hands with his bretheren at the home plate. This was good enough as far as it went but it wasn't farther at that inning